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### Notice of Business Change.

The old saying that "the unlooked-for always happens" may be true in the present instance. The Sonoma News is no more! Having sold the paper and its good will to Mr. Granice, the business and subscription books pass into his hands. Those who are in arrears for their paper will please pay Mr. Granice and those who have paid in advance will receive the INDEX-TRIBUNE to full extent of their subscriptions.

There are three reasons I might give for making this change. It is well known that I did not buy the News with the intention of running it myself. A person usually sells a commercial commodity when the price asked is accepted. The third reason is the more potent one—our patronizing territory is too limited to properly support two weekly newspapers.

But we do need and must have for the weal of the commonwealth one good, wide-awake paper, which shall be alive to the best interests of our people, and such a paper Mr. Granice will be able to furnish us providing he has the good will and support his paper merits. So we sincerely hope all our subscribers and patrons will lend a hand. With a thank you to our friends and wishes for the success of the INDEX-TRIBUNE we break our quill.  
D. E. THOMPSON.  
Sonoma Jan. 3, 1899.

### Try Allen's Foot-Ease.

A powder to be shaken into the shoes. At this season your feet feel swollen, nervous and hot, and get tired easily. If you have smarting feet or tight shoes, try Allen's Foot-Ease. It cools the feet and makes walking easy. Cures swollen and sweating feet, blisters and callous spots. Relieves corns and bunions of all pain and gives rest and comfort. Try it to-day. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores for 25c. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

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The rush at the drug store still continues and daily scores of people call for a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs for the cure of coughs, colds, asthma, bronchitis and consumption. Kemp's Balsam, the standard family remedy, is sold on a guarantee and never fails to give entire satisfaction. Price 25c. and 50c.

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### A LASSIE'S PRAYER.

In a well known saloon on Champlain street, not far from the busy part of Ontario street, where many well known men about town often are found as visitors, a remarkable scene was witnessed the other day, on account of which a group of men present on the occasion will long hold a vivid remembrance of the time and place.

The persons interested most intimately in the scene were of a remarkably varied sort. The bartender and a small bootblack were minor yet interesting characters, but of principal importance were four middle-aged men of the well to do and sporty class, and a slender, sweet faced young girl wearing the familiar blue costume and bonnet of the Salvation Army.

One of the group was a prosperous physician, a man of middle age, eloquent address and pleasant bearing. His speech bespoke an excellent education. A second member of the group was a business man. The others were a middle aged man, a successful man of affairs, and the fourth and least commendable a man with a family, who had, until recently, lived on the narrow profits of a none too extensive business, but had fallen heir to the sum of \$10,000, which he was blowing in as rapidly as he and his friends could get away with it.

This was the group to which the bartender was passing frequent drinks, and by the side of which the little bootblack was busily plying his brushes over the surface of a pair of boots. It was an idle, interesting scene thus far, suggesting little that was commendable, except an abundance of untitled good fellowship, for the intellectual standard of the men was not apparent in the loud talk and laughter poured out in torrents over the glasses.

It wanted only the appearance of the pretty Salvation Army girl to work a magic charm. In the midst of the noisy shouting just at the bartender one of the men was suddenly hushed by his companions. Founding a massive fist with a thundering blow upon the table and swinging his head back he roared out in a hoarse, guttural voice:

"The bartender has an honest face," he shouted, with a roar of laughter. "An honest bartender, boys, he has, he has!" And he nearly rolled from his chair, when he was suddenly made to "shut up." The summons was obeyed at once.

"There's a lady here," said one of the men, and the laughter ceased and the revelers looked toward the door.

In the center of the barroom floor stood the slender form of a Salvation lassie. Two dark eyes, looking timidly at the group of boisterous men, as though wondering whether it was safe for a young girl to approach nearer. Her arms clasped a bundle of War Cry, and her fingers moved nervously as she peered at the group about the table.

There was a dead silence in the room and the embarrassment seemed mutual. The girl stared at the group of men, and the men stared at the girl. Every foot was moved, and some of the men quietly leaned an elbow on the table to conceal the glasses. After a moment's pause the girl noticed the marks of respect being paid her presence, and her timidity gave way. Approaching the nearest of the men she handed him a paper with the request to buy.

The sound of the voice was so sweet and sweet and musical for such a place. Every face about the table looked its wonder. A noticeable trace of something like conscious guilt appeared as the girl looked from one to another. Every head was bowed, and some of the men quietly leaned an elbow on the table to conceal the glasses. After a moment's pause the girl noticed the marks of respect being paid her presence, and her timidity gave way. Approaching the nearest of the men she handed him a paper with the request to buy.

"You came in here to do good," he said to her, standing with uncovered head. "and you must not go away without making some impression upon these drunkards. I need some one to make me better and I demand that you make an impression on me before you leave."

Thereupon, to the great amazement of the young woman, he began to take off his coat. He threw it upon the table and turned to his companions, all of whom had remained as solemn and silent as tombstones, and addressed them in eloquent tones, beseeching them to behave themselves till the young lady spoke.

The dark eyes of the young girl looked a thousand doubts and fears, and it was apparent that the situation was a trying one. She had a right to feel so, for she was not under such circumstances. Seeing, however, that the men were not jesting she plucked up her courage and bravely stood her ground. The little bootblack had discontinued his work of polishing shoes and stood gazing at her. The four men, not drunk, nor yet sober, waited for her to speak. The bartender leaned over the bar and scowled. She looked at him and he guessed her meaning and shouted savagely:

"None of that, now, miss. You've sold your papers, so get out."

A hundred devils would have been more welcome, but his remonstrances were of no avail, as he was quickly silenced by the men around the table, who told him not to meddle with their affairs. Before he could growl anything in reply the brave young girl had seized the occasion and, despite his orders, dropped her hands to pray. The men likewise knelt down, and the bootblack knelt down, too, and the face of the girl and bowed his uncovered head.

The bartender turned away in anger, but after a moment dropped his head also as the sweet voice of the kneeling girl asked heaven to bless him.

When the girl had finished there was not a dry eye in the room. Even the bartender shook the girl's slender hand when she left, and the four men declared the little scene was not wholly lost in which they could meet such a woman.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### Shopsy.

His Daughter—Yes; the story ends in the same old way. They marry and live happy ever after.

The Furniture Man—Ah! Antique finish.—Indianapolis Journal.

What He Articulated.

"You have some slight spinal trouble," said the surgeon.

"How much," asked the newspaper man, "do you charge a column for treatment, doctor?"—Memphis Scimitar.

### THE STREET CALLED "BY AND BY."

The street called "By and By" is smooth, And down a hill windeth, And he who starts its crooked way, Much cure for trouble findeth, But at the entrance is a sign— "Here put away endeavor."

For down the street called "By and By" You reach the house called "Never!"

The house called "Never" stands below A grim and chilly tower, Whose broken windows, shattered roof And ruined turrets lower, While from the casement gaunt despair "Take heed! The street called 'By and By' Leads to the house called 'Never!'"

What matter though the street be fair, And flowers tempt my straying, Though he be hard and rest be sweet And easy the delaying, If at the end I surely find That hope and I must sever, When down the street called "By and By" I reach the house called "Never?" —Eva Lovett in Independent.

### ONLY A STORY.

The afternoon sun blazed down on the brown roof of the little railway station, and a train puffing forth great billows of black smoke into the white heated air. A group of listless, lounging farmers was outlined against the unpainted wall of the depot, the stolid look of indifference upon their faces seeming to make them akin to the shriveled grass and drooping clover. That they were really hopeless was not without cause. The summer had been hot and wretched and desolate. The corn had dried before it came to a tassel, the wheat had rusted and the meadows browned before the hay time.

Caine Denton took off his jaunty straw hat and leaned from the window. His quick eye took note of the expressionless faces of the loungers and their attitude of hopelessness. "Poor devils!" he murmured to himself. "Wonder what they have to live for anyway!"

The keen eye moved on past the unpainted buildings to the not glare of the sandy road. A child stood thrusting her little bare feet into the dust and watching him shyly under the shadow of her sunbonnet. Caine whistled softly under his breath—he loved a child—and was rewarded by a shy smile, quickly suppressed by the distraction of two little brown fingers between the red lips. "The only bit of brightness in the landscape," he thought, and as the train moved laboriously forward, "and now that is gone," and he leaned back in his seat wearily.

He was a handsome fellow, women would say—and really they are the judges of the world most honors—the breadth of his chest and the depth of his chest making one forget that he was a little short in stature. Perfectly formed, with the muscles of a gladiator, he was a delight to the eye.



## The California Boys.

THERE has been a great rush of people from town and valley the past two or three days to San Francisco to greet and cheer the returning California Volunteers. Too much honor cannot be bestowed upon the youthful soldiers, many of whom gave up the comforts of a peaceful calling to go forth to do battle for their country. All praise to the noble lads. Let the air resound with loud huzzars at their home coming and let their bravery and valor on the battle fields of the far off Philippines be forever enshrined in the hearts of the American people.

THE runaway accident on Broadway last Monday, whereby a young lady was run down and is probably maimed for life, would never have occurred had the "hitching post" ordinance not been violated by the owner of the runaway team.

This ordinance makes it compulsory on the owners and drivers of teams to tie them securely to one of the several hitching racks which have been provided by the city for that purpose. A failure to comply with this ordinance, which has for its purpose the safety of the general public, lays the offender liable to fine and imprisonment.

Hardly a day passes that City Marshal Albertson is not called upon to warn drivers of teams, who have carelessly left their animals untied, that they are laying themselves liable to arrest. This goes to prove one of the two things—that the ordinance is being openly defied or its existence is not generally known. We incline to the latter opinion. Strangers visiting Sonoma as a matter of fact are bound to be ignorant of the "hitching post" ordinance and other local laws and as the City Marshal cannot be here, there and everywhere at the same time some other means must be adopted for the stringent enforcement of the ordinance in question. We would suggest that warning sign boards be placed along the thoroughfares leading into town calling attention to the ordinance. Then let every violator of that ordinance be arrested by the City Marshal and prosecuted. If this is done our word for it runaway accidents will be less frequent in this town and life and limb made more secure.

THERE are two sides to the Crocker proposition it would seem. John Strong, says the Santa Rosa Republican, who was in from his Bennett Valley ranch Tuesday morning, says that as he understands the situation the majority of the vineyardists of the valley are opposed to the Crocker proposition. Mr. Strong thinks that very few of the grape growers of the valley will sign the Crocker contracts. "Why should we?" said he. "It will no longer be necessary for us to accept seven or eight dollars a ton for our grapes. Wine grapes are getting too scarce for that. I think we will get as good prices as Mr. Crocker offers us whether we accept his proposition or not." Mr. Strong says that it will not pay the farmer to plant resistant stock and wait seven years for the vineyards to produce even at the figure offered by Mr. Crocker. "I do not want any more vineyards unless I can get more than fourteen dollars per ton for my grapes," said he.

JUDGE DOUGHERTY in the Superior Court on Monday last gave judgment for the defendant in the case of the California Wine Makers' Corporation against F. Schmidt on account of the failure of the corporation to amend its complaint within the specified time. The corporation brought suit for the performance of a contract. Schmidt joined the corporation, and then declined to transfer his wine.

THE circulation of the INDEX-TRIBUNE is constantly increasing and is larger to-day than it has ever been since the paper was started twenty-one years ago. This speaks well for the popularity of Sonoma's local newspaper.

## Retrospection.

THE death of O. P. Hoddy in the county hospital at Santa Rosa last Monday removes from the field of interior journalism one of the old-time editors and newspaper men of California of whom there are but few left. Thirty-five years ago Hoddy was in his prime and yielded a graceful and facile pen. He was not only a writer of ability but a first-class all-round newspaper man too boot, and his services were much sought after in those days by owners of country newspapers who possessed more thrift than brains. Hoddy was of a roving disposition and never remained more than a year or two in any one of the numerous country newspapers offices in which he was employed. During his time he owned and controlled, but for a brief period only, several papers which were ably edited but miserably managed financially. In those days of long ago his contemporaries were Prentice Mulford (Dogberry), Samuel Clemens (Mark Twain), Jim Gillis, Bret Harte, Joaquin Miller, W. J. Garrison, Long Primer Hall and a host of others. All were writers, editors or publishers, and like the proverbial rolling stone gathered little or no moss in those days in their wanderings to and fro in California, Oregon and Nevada in quest of fame and fortune. Subsequently, however, Clemens, Harte and Miller took to writing books and reached the goal of their ambition. Jim Gillis—how well we remember Jim in his miners' cabin of Old Tuolumne, which was strewn with a heterogeneous mass of literary truck, prospect pans, picks and shovels, black pots and kettles—who was a miner as well as a writer, struck a rich gold mine we believe and has quit writing for the papers. Prentice Mulford, Hall and Garrison died in moderate circumstances, while the unfortunate Hoddy has just ended his days in the poor house. Well, well, time does make a change in things. That is dead sure.

It is said that John Wannamaker, one of the most successful merchants in America and the best advertiser in the world, has recently closed a contract with a Philadelphia newspaper for a page advertisement to run one year, for \$100,000. The fellow who says advertising doesn't pay should have a ten minute's talk with John.

## What Teachers Should Know.

At a regular meeting of the County Board of Education of Sonoma county the following resolution was adopted:

"That English and American literature in the examinations for grammar grade teachers' certificates be made a 100 credit subject, 80 credits on written work founded on the present requirements, and 20 credits on oral work based on general literature."

The literary course for those who will be examined for teachers' certificates of the grammar grade in December next is as follows: The Lady of the Lake, The Alhambra, Sir Roger de Coverly, Classic Myths, Horatius, The Deserted Village, The Cotter's Saturday Night, The Prisoner of Chillon, Winter, Winter Morning Walk, Snowbound, Tam O'Shanter, The Ancient Mariner, L'Allegro, Il Penseroso, The Merchant of Venice, Julius Caesar, Macaulay's First Speech on the Reform Bill, Webster's Reply to Hayne, Comus, Lycidas, Sonnets, 2, 16, 19, 22, Dryden's Alexander's Feast, The Rape of the Lock, Gray's Elegy, "Eve of St. Agnes," The Nightingale, The Cloud, The Skylark, Woodsworth's Tintern Abbey, Lasdramia, Ode on the Intimation of Immortality, Ode to Duty, Vision of Sir Launfal, Browning's, "Transcript from Impidies," The Passing of Arthur, Chaucer's Prologue to the Canterbury Tales, Thackeray's The Newcomers.

The book recommended on general literature is entitled English Literature by Rev. Stopford Brooke.

## SCROFULA

thin blood, weak lungs and paleness. You have them in hot weather as well as in cold. SCOTT'S EMULSION cures them in summer as in winter. It is creamy looking and pleasant tasting.

50c. and \$1.00; all druggists.

## COUNTY NEWS ITEMS.

On the Healdsburg road on Monday Santa Rosans going north passed through an immense drove of sheep which were being driven from Humboldt to Solano county. In the drove were 4000 sheep.

In the Superior Court Wednesday Charles Hinkel brought suit for divorce against Susan Hinkel upon the ground of desertion. The Hon. John Tyler Campbell is attorney for the plaintiff.

The City Trustees of Cloverdale sat as a Board of Equalization last Monday and Tuesday evenings. The assessment as presented by Assessor Wilson was accepted without any changes. The assessment is practically the same as last year. The tax rate was set Tuesday at sixty cents on the \$100, which is the same rate as last year. This, it is estimated, on a basis of \$300,000 taxable property, will realize \$1800, and from license and other sources the amount will be increased to over \$2300.

Grape growers residing in the vicinity of Windsor to the number of thirty met at that place last Saturday afternoon to discuss the Crocker contract, says the Santa Rosa Republican. The contract was pretty thoroughly discussed, after which twenty-five of them were signed by growers present. It is estimated that growers in the vicinity of Windsor, representing 2500 tons of grapes per season, have now signed Crocker contracts. Among those who spoke at the meeting were Judge Latimer, J. Jacobson, Robt. Adler, J. R. Miller, H. S. Greeley, D. H. McDonald.

On Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Frank Philbee of Santa Rosa returned home from their month's outing. They went from Santa Rosa to Nevada City on their bicycles and returned likewise. The distance they covered, not including a number of side trips, was five hundred miles. They had a most enjoyable trip and saw many interesting sights en route. They accomplished the journey in safety. On the return trip they rode from Sacramento to Santa Rosa in quick time, leaving there in the morning and arriving home in time for supper.—Press Democrat.

An action was commenced in the Superior Court at Santa Rosa, Wednesday, upon change of venue from Judge Trout's court in San Francisco, in which Charles W. Pike & Co. seek to recover from Hunt Brothers' Packing Company and the Rose City Canning Company the sum of \$5,733.23 for damages or alleged breach of contract and for services rendered by plaintiff. J. R. Leppo represents the Rose City Canning and Emmet Seawell Hunt Brothers' Packing Company. Briefly the complaint alleged that plaintiff was employed by defendants in July, 1896, to sell their products in the east and that certain territory was assigned to him and that a contract was made fixing this. It is alleged that defendants disposed of their fruit in his territory themselves whereby the breach of contract occurred and he lost his commissions and was damaged as set forth. Among the papers filed is the demurrer of defendants to the complaint upon various grounds. Attorney Shurtzoff of San Francisco represents the plaintiff.

## Who Will be our Next President?

Politicians are now reported as planning for the Presidential campaign of 1900, but the war has so overshadowed all other matters that politics is almost unnoticed. Many people are of the opinion that the opposing candidates will be two some as in 1896, but there may be a "dark horse" who will step in and win the race. Popularity has much to do with candidates. This is also true with medicine. The most popular remedy to-day is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, and it has retained this popularity for many years. Science never discovered the equal of this medicine for stomach, liver, kidney and blood diseases. It builds up solid flesh tissue, dispels poisons from the system, imparts vigor and vitality to all organs and makes life worth living. A single bottle will make a big change for the better in women as well as in men. Try it.

## A Mother Tells How She Saved Her Little Daughter's Life.

I am the mother of eight children and have had a great deal of experience with medicines. Last summer my little daughter had the dysentery in its worst form. We thought she would die. I tried everything I could think of, but nothing seemed to do her any good. I saw by an advertisement in our paper that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was highly recommended and sent and got a bottle at once. It proved to be one of the very best medicines we ever had in the house. It saved my little daughter's life. I am anxious for every mother to know what an excellent medicine it is. Had I known it at first it would have saved me a great deal of anxiety and my little daughter much suffering.—Yours Truly, Mrs. Geo. F. Burdick, Liberty, R. I. For sale by F. T. Duhring.

TO THE DEAF.—A rich lady, cured of her Deafness and Noise in the Head by Dr. Nicholson's Artificial Ear Drums, gave \$100.00 to his Institute, so that deaf people unable to procure the Ear Drums may have them free. Address No. 801, The Institute, 708 Eighth Avenue, New York.

## IS YOUR HAIR TURNING GRAY?

What does your mirror say? Does it tell you of some little streaks of gray? Are you pleased? Do your friends of the same age show this loss of power also?

Just remember, that gray hair never becomes darker without help, while dark hair rapidly becomes gray when once the change begins.

It cleanses the scalp also and prevents the formation of dandruff. It feeds and nourishes the bulbs of the hair making them produce a luxuriant growth. It stops the hair from falling out and gives a fine soft finish to the hair as well.

We have a book on the hair and scalp which you may obtain free upon request. It does not contain all the benefits you expect from the use of this Vigor. Write for it at once.

Address, Dr. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

## THE SUPERIOR COURT

A number of interesting matters were heard Monday in the Superior Court. Judge S. K. Dougherty called the calendars in both departments.

George W. Davis was appointed administrator on the estate of Lizzie B. Davis, deceased, in a bond of \$100.

Public Administrator Pierce was appointed administrator, will annexed, of the estate of the late Priscilla Wilson of Petaluma. It will be remembered in connection with this estate that the administratrix, Ivy Leach, resigned a short time ago.

The first annual account of the estate of Daniel W. Prows, deceased, was settled.

Letters of administration were granted to Anna E. Nicholson and Florence L. Gray on the estate of James Rose, deceased, in a bond of \$6500.

An order of sale of personal property was made in the matter of the estate of Walton Smith.

The final account was settled and distribution was ordered of the estate of the late George Hood.

The petition to pay interest on the estate of Edward Surryne was continued to September.

In the action of Taylor vs. Taylor permission was granted to file an amendment to the answer.

Default was entered and the matter was referred to the court commissioner in the divorce proceedings instituted by Lizzie McClellan against J. A. S. McClellan.

Civil matters continued: David Zafinsky vs. John A. Nordin, Thomas Hopper vs. Frank Cummings and A. Barnard vs. Mary Ambrose, all to August 28th.

In Department Two the motion to set aside the judgment in the action of Napa State Hospital against J. F. Cunningham, as administrator, was set for September 5th by stipulation.

The defendant was granted judgment for failure to amend complaint on motion of counsel in the action of the California Wine Makers' Corporation against F. Schmidt. This action was for a specific performance of contract. In July Judge Burnett sustained the demurrer to the complaint and plaintiffs failed to amend their complaint.

Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

Hop picking has commenced in this county. The crop is unusually good and a big yield is expected.

A Few Pointers.

The recent statistics of the number of deaths show that the large majority die with consumption. This disease may be cured by an apparently harmless cough which can be cured instantly by Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, which is guaranteed to cure and relieve all cases. Price 25c. and 50c. For sale by all druggists.

Hunting notices printed on cloth at this office while you wait.

Detroit Journal: Teacher—John, illustrate the difference between sit and set. Bright and Patriotic Boy.—The United States is a country on which the sun never sets and the rest of the world never sits.

## How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm. West & Traux, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's family Pills are the best. During the civil war, as well as in our late war with Spain, diarrhoea was one of the most troublesome diseases the army had to contend with. In many instances it became chronic and the old soldiers still suffer from it. Mr. David Taylor of Wind Ridge, Greene Co., Pa., is one of these. He uses Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and says he never found anything that would give him such quick relief. It is for sale by F. T. Duhring.

Daily Call and Index-Tribune, \$7.00 per year.

## HUMBLED.

Do not be humbled by being induced to accept an inferior article, but insist on getting PHROSO, for the complexion. See that your druggist includes PHROSO in his next order to his wholesaler. Sample bottle sent on receipt of 6 cts. to pay postage. Phroso Mfg. Co., Bodega, Cal.

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Bed Lounges \$7.00.

Low prices. It will pay you to look my stock over and learn my prices. See my new and second hand carpets.

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—OF THE—

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UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE

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Sonoma, Sept. 17, 1899.

VICTOR SARTORI, PRESIDENT OF THE DAY.

## OFFICERS:

A. Bulotti, President  
Anton Tranz, Vice President  
Peter Yenni, Treasurer  
Theo. Riehl, Secretary  
Jacob Amstelden, Grand Marshal  
A. Yenni and Ben Kuenensint, Assistant Marshals

## COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS:

S. C. Codine, Victor Sartori, Arnold Riehl, V. Bulotti  
Nick Codiga, Jas. Pedraza, Jos. Riehl, J. Fochetti  
G. De Bernardi, Arnold Kechler.

Athletic Games & Dancing on Picnic Grounds

Grand Ball at Union Hall in the Evening.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

California Northwestern Railway Co.

LINCOLN OF

SAN FRANCISCO AND NORTH

PACIFIC RY CO.

Official Time Schedule.

Leave Sonoma. Effective July 31, 1899. Arrive Sonoma.

WEEK DAYS. TO AND FROM. SUNDAY. WEEK DAYS.

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# The Index-Tribune

SONOMA, AUGUST 26, 1899.

## LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

### City Board of Equalization.

The City Trustees sitting as a Board of Equalization completed their labors last week. No reductions were made in the Assessor's assessment, which amounted to \$283,005. The following assessments were raised, however, as follows: C. Dalpogetto, \$400; T. Oliveri, \$400; Blanche L. Weems, \$200. Total, \$1,000. This brings Sonoma City's total assessment up to \$284,005.

### Brevities.

Daily Chronicle and Index-Tribune, \$8.25 per year.

Daily Examiner and Index-Tribune, \$8.80 per year.

Mrs. Boyd is a guest at the home of Mrs. M. A. Johnson.

Mrs. W. Holmes of Los Angeles has been visiting at the Clewe residence.

Ernest Clewe has fully recovered from a three-weeks' spell of sickness.

When in need of fine shoes go to S. Schocken. His prices will suit you.

Miss Theo Bates will return this evening from her visit to the metropolis.

Miss Claire Hope and Miss Besie Goodwin are guests at the Woodworth farm near Petaluma.

Fred. Fisher was over from Petaluma last Thursday on business connected with the Fisher winery of that city.

Sixty bathers enjoyed the delightful waters of the Agua Rica Hot Springs last week.

The apple dryer on First-street West is running full blast and is giving employment to a number of boys.

Senator J. C. Sims says there will be an extra session of the Legislature in October to elect a Federal Senator.

Wanted—Position as nurse or companion by a refined Southern lady of experience. Salary no object. Call or address this office.

J. Chauvet, the well-known wine maker of Glen Ellen, will crush a large quantity of grapes this season at his Santa Rosa winery. He has recently purchased a new crusher with this end view.

L. D. Ryus and Chas. Wren, the United States Geological Surveyors who have been establishing elevations in this section of the county the past few months, were attacked by swarms of mosquitos in the marshes below Schellville, one day this week, and had to abandon their work for the time being. They say the Schellville mosquito is the real thing.

On Monday last Mr. Robert John Riebel and Miss Francis Kiser of this place were granted a marriage license by County Clerk Fulton. The wedding will take place to-day in St. Francis' church, after which the young couple and invited guests will celebrate the event at the Rixford ranch, the home of the groom's parents. Mr. Riebel is a thrifty young Swiss dairyman of this valley.

The performance given by Weston & Herbert's Vaudeville Company at Union Hall, last Wednesday and Thursday evenings, was by far the best ever given before a Sonoma audience. The artists were all first-class in their different roles, and every one present in the house declared that they would not have missed the treat for twice the price of admission. The INDEX-TRIBUNE's dramatic critic takes pleasure in recommending this Vaudeville Company to the people of the various towns in which they are billed ahead as being the most clever that has ever toured the State.

### A New Corporation.

A new corporation has been formed of \$50,000.00, fully subscribed, to manufacture in San Francisco an English preparation, Celery Soda, which will be introduced in the United States as a harmless, yet effective cure for headache, nervousness, biliousness and sleeplessness.

The incorporators are R. W. Tansill, the millionaire cigar man of Tansill's Punch cigar fame; Edw. L. Baldwin, proprietor of the Ferry Drug Company, and president of the Standard Pharmaceutical Company; William H. Jordan, one of San Francisco's most prominent attorneys; E. A. Boulton and R. A. von Meier.

This company is composed of experienced men, backed with ample capital, and will introduce this article on the Pacific Coast on what is known as the agency policy, appointing one dealer only in each town as selling agent for Celery Soda.

## A VERY SERIOUS RUNAWAY ACCIDENT.

### Miss Eugenie Burgess' Right Ankle Broken in Two Places.

Miss Eugenie Burgess of San Francisco, who has been rusticated at the Victoria Vineyards for several months, met with a very serious accident last Monday, which will lay her up for a long time. Miss Burgess and a young lady friend, Miss Alice Chassagne of San Francisco, were riding leisurely along Broadway in a go-cart when without warning they were run down by a span of runaway horses attached to a spring wagon. The cart was overturned and the young ladies were thrown out. Miss Chassagne fell clear of the struggling horses and the overturned cart and escaped with a severe shaking up. Miss Burgess, however, fell beneath the overturned cart and while pinned to the earth the wheels of the larger vehicle passed over her left ankle, breaking it in two places.

S. A. Ringstrom and several ladies who witnessed the accident went to the rescue of the prostrate young woman and dragged her from beneath the overturned cart and away from the struggling horses. Had not this timely aid been at hand she undoubtedly would have been more seriously hurt if not killed.

Miss Burgess was assisted to the residence of Dr. Davis, in front of which the accident took place, and the doctor, arriving soon after, applied remedies to relieve the patient, who was suffering great pain. Later on the limb was set by Dr. Davis, assisted by a surgeon from San Francisco who had been summoned to this place by telegram.

On Tuesday afternoon Miss Burgess was placed on a cot and conveyed to the depot, where she took the train for her city home, being accompanied by her father. At that time she was suffering little pain, but the broken ankle was terribly swollen. The runaway team that caused the accident belonged to J. V. Miner of Glen Ellen. The horses were left standing untied in front of Marcy & Dunbar's tin shop and finding themselves without a driver ran away.

At latest accounts Miss Burgess was resting easy at her home in San Francisco.

### INTREPID GOLD-SEEKERS.

#### Jas. A. Shaw and Press Davis Have Been Heard From.

Jas. A. Shaw of this valley and ex-County Surveyor Press Davis, who left for the gold fields of Alaska about two years ago, are reported to be in the Kotzebue Sound country. They have still enough provisions to last two years and are engaged in prospecting in that desolate country. So far, reports say, they have struck nothing in the way of a rich gold mine. The many friends of Jim Shaw and Press Davis in this valley will be pleased to learn that they are still in the land of the living.

#### Charley Hein Meets With an Accident.

Chas. Hein, while on his way from Napa to Santa Rosa, last Monday, was thrown from his go-cart about two miles east of town and received a deep gash on the forehead over the right eye. He also had his shoulder badly wrenched. Dr. Davis took three stitches in the wound on the forehead, and attended to Mr. Hein's other hurts and he was able to proceed on his journey. The accident was caused by a wheel collapsing, and the journey had to be continued by train.

### Returned From a Deer Hunt.

Jim Pieratt of Glen Ellen, the well-known hunter of big game, passed through town Monday on his way home after a several days' hunt in Lovall valley. Jim reports deer very scarce in this county this season. On this hunt Jim and his party, which was composed of Carl Dresel, J. F. Kerrige and other well-known local nimrods, saw the sign of one deer only.

### The Winkle Estate.

The estate of the late Henry Winkle has been settled up in Judge Coffey's Court, San Francisco, by Robt. A. Poppe, attorney for Mrs. Winkle the widow.

**Schilling's**  
**Best**  
tea  
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**Packages**

## INDEPENDENCE OF SWITZERLAND.

### Will be Commemorated by the Swiss Residents of Sonoma.

The 608th anniversary of the Independence of Switzerland will be commemorated by the patriotic Swiss residents of Sonoma on September 17th in a fitting manner. There will be a picnic on the College grounds, martial music, an oration, athletic games and a grand ball at Union Hall in the evening. A large dance platform will be erected on the grounds for the enjoyment of those who enjoy tripping the light fantastic. A fine brass band from San Francisco will furnish the music.

Victor Sartori, the well-known dairyman of Fairville will be the President of the Day. The committee having the affair in hand is composed of the following gentlemen: S. C. Codine, V. Sartori, Arnold Riebel, V. Bulotti, Nick Codiga, Jas. Pedroni, Jos. Riebel, Julius Fochetti, G. Delbernardi and Arnold Keechler. The revised officers of the Sonoma Swiss National Club, under whose auspices the celebration will be held, are as follows:

A. G. Bulotti, President; Anton Trunz, Vice-President; Peter Yenni, Treasurer; Theo. Riebel, Secretary; Jacob Amstelden, Grand Marshal; A. Yenni and Ben Kamensint, Assistant Marshals.

A \$100 brass band will furnish music for the occasion and on its arrival by train on the morning of the celebration a procession will be formed at the depot, which will proceed to the picnic grounds on Broadway.

## WALK ASHORE!

It all happened at one of those pleasant sea side resorts, where life is so comfy from day to day and tragedy has no place. She just stepped on the raft which she thought was moored, and in the twinkling of an eye she was rocking it from side to side. But the raft was not moored. Her rocking had slowly dislodged it from the sand, on which it was grounded, and when she turned around, she was adrift and the shore a rod behind her. She cried for help and was heard by a lonely fisherman who sat at some distance on the beach mending his nets. How slowly he got up. How slowly he tramped across the sandy shore. And



she was drifting, drifting, drifting! "Save me!" she cried. "I am on the ocean man come to the water's edge. The grizzled mariner raised his hand to the side of his mouth and cried hoarsely, "Walk ashore!" That's all there was of it. She was still in shoal water. All she needed was the timely word of instruction and advice. But suppose it had not come? Suppose she had not heeded it? Was there no danger? The open sea, a frail raft, and a frail woman! The woman on the raft is a type of hundreds of thousands of her sex who are drifting into danger. Up to a definite day, they have been enjoying life in perfect security. Then, in a moment, a sense of impending danger comes. They are at the mercy of disease. Every day increases the danger. They are drifting, drifting, drifting. Then comes the cry for help. To thousands of appeals there has come the answer from Dr. R. V. Pierce, chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y.

WALK ASHORE! WALK ASHORE!! You are still in the shallow waters of disease. You can still get back without more than inconvenience to the land of health behind you. All you need is just the right word of advice and common sense instruction in time, and the grip of a helping hand. That is just what Dr. Pierce offers to every one suffering from disease, timely, health restoring, life saving advice, practical help. It requires some confidence to take advice when your own senses are against it. The woman on the raft could not see the bottom of the roily water, and the land looked so far away. So the woman in disease can't see how close she is to cure, and recovery of health seems hopeless. And, perhaps, the very disease that has begun to threaten her is consumption, that dreadful disease regarded by millions as incurable. Her local doctors perhaps say, "We can make you suffer a little less, but there's no hope."

Does Dr. Pierce claim to cure consumption? That question isn't worth arguing. Look at the record. Take a case in point. Here is a man (or woman) with a hacking cough, a hectic flush, night-sweats, great emaciation or wasting of flesh, spitting of blood, shortness of breath and all the other symptoms. After every remedy and every local physician has failed, he, as a last resort, takes "Golden Medical Discovery" and the cough vanishes, the cheeks get back its natural color, sleep becomes sound and refreshing, the spitting of blood stops, flesh and muscles become firm, weight increases, and life goes along in quiet and comfort to the full limit of the three score years and ten.

But may it be wasn't consumption after all? May it be wasn't? You know it was something that was attacking the very citadel of life, and it was something that was cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. And Dr. Pierce is curing such "somethings" right along with a record of over a quarter of a million cases, and not more than three per cent of failures.

One fact, at least, is well established. That the "Golden Medical Discovery" does cure weak lungs, bleeding from lungs, obstinate, lingering coughs, laryngitis, bronchitis, throat disease, and kindred affections of the air passages, which, if neglected, lead to consumption, and up to consumption, can no longer be doubted in view of the many thousands of well established cures of such cases reported by the most trustworthy citizens. Many of these cases have been pronounced consumption—and incurable—by the best local physicians before the sufferers commenced the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Whether the doctors have erred in their judgment in these numerous cases or not is not for us to decide.

Mark Hamilton and B. P. Norris are repairing the foundation of Dr. Davis' residence. The town was almost deserted yesterday owing to the celebration in San Francisco.

## PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

### Other Matters of Interest to the General Reader.

Items of a personal and social nature are thankfully received at this office.

Mrs. Nolting is visiting San Francisco relatives.

Mrs. Chas. Potter is very ill at her home near Sonoma.

Attorney Robt. A. Poppe spent Tuesday in San Francisco.

Wm. and Richard Stevens spent last Sunday in San Rafael.

Stewart Elliott came up to Locust Grove last Saturday on a visit.

Miss Perley Ferrier of San Francisco is the guest of Mrs. L. Emman.

Jos. Grace and John Bailer of Santa Rosa visited Sonoma last Sunday.

Mrs. Thierkoff and Mrs. Henrietta Gibson of Glen Ellen were in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Young were the guests of Mrs. D. Duhring last Saturday and Sunday.

Robt. Hill of Eldridge was in town Tuesday shaking hands with his many Sonoma friends.

Jep Valente was up from the metropolis Sunday on a visit to his Sonoma relatives and friends.

Mark Hamilton and Geo. Barnum returned last Saturday from a several weeks' business visit in Marysville.

Jack Ford was over from Lakeville Saturday and was heartily welcomed by his many Sonoma friends.

Judge and Mrs. Stearns of Santa Barbara are now permanently settled in the Wagner cottage on Broadway.

Mrs. Pauline McMullen and infant son returned to their Santa Rosa home Sunday after a three weeks' visit with Sonoma relatives.

There is no improvement in the condition of the ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell. The little fellow has been ill for many weeks.

A social for the benefit of the Congregational Church was the event on Friday evening of last week at the Appleton home on Broadway.

Harvey S. Mannel, formerly of this place but now engaged in the livery stable business in the metropolis, was in town several days this week.

Harry Fisher, after an absence of several years in San Francisco, has returned to Sonoma to accept a position in Henry Weber's Central Market.

The family of Dr. McLean will shortly leave Sonoma for San Francisco where they will permanently reside. The McLeans located in Sonoma two years ago.

Allen Lemmon Jr., son of A. B. Lemmon, editor of the Santa Rosa Republican, is lying very ill at the home of his parents in Santa Rosa.

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## LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

Following guests registered at the Mervyn Hotel, Glen Ellen, last week: P. W. D'Arcy, R. Swan, Ed. Clark, Joseph Kennedy, J. D. MacCormack, A. H. Wagner, David R. Eisenbach, Mrs. J. Hoffman, Dr. Lawrence H. Hoffman, M. Ehrenberg, Mrs. D. Eisenbach, Miss Samson, C. H. Edsen and wife, Mrs. Foulks and son all of San Francisco; R. W. Bell, Santa Rosa.

C. E. Camp, who has been conducting a white laundry in this place for the past six or eight months, has been compelled to close his place of business owing to lack of patronage. He left with his family for the hop fields of northern Sonoma Wednesday, where he will engage in the more remunerative occupation of picking hops.

Mrs. C. C. Carriger and family are now camping near El Verano. Mrs. Carriger is undecided just where she will locate since selling her home.

James Read Watson is well and very busy at his home in Mexico. So he writes to Rev. J. M. Cassin of Santa Rosa. Mr. Watson was formerly principal of the Grammar school in this place.

A delightful juvenile party was given to Misses Edlo and Evelyn Colgan, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Colgan, on Tuesday afternoon, at the home of Santa Rosa relatives, where the young ladies are visiting. The affair was participated in by about thirty-five young people.

Miss Florence Monahan, daughter of P. Monahan, the well-known wine maker of Glen Ellen, who has been spending several weeks in San Francisco with relatives and friends, is at present visiting relatives in San Jose and taking in the sights of the famous Santa Clara valley. She intends returning to San Francisco to attend the festivities on the return of the California Volunteers.

## DUHRING'S.

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## SONOMA INDEX - TRIBUNE.

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## IN A MUSIC SHOP.

In a dim corner of the shop,  
With none but mice to mark,  
The weary old toy zither hung,  
Forgotten by the dark.

The covelet hid its outworn case,  
Dimmed with the anxious years;  
The strings that little hands had picked  
To laughter more than tears.

(And didst thou hope, a music toy,  
For slumber? Nay, awake!  
The heart of music has no rest,  
Until its cords must break.)

Without, among the violins  
That master hands had wrought,  
It heard the master music voice  
Its own unuttered thought:

Like some poor bird of halting song  
Wayworn, with broken wing,  
Watching the lark fly up through heaven  
Ever to fly and sing.

To little old toy instruments  
Nor rest nor sleep belong;  
Only to feel with helpless strings  
Eternal stress of song.

And even there, adze with dust,  
Too old and worn to sing,  
The message of the viola set  
Its voice a quivering.

Then weary little zither,  
Long days and nights come  
Before thy heart of song may break,  
Thy weary strings be dumb.

Josephine Peabody in Youth's Companion.

## THE CONSPIRATORS.

Captain Hanson, having returned from a long voyage to find himself a widower, had sacrificed his fondness for a seafaring life to the needs of his only daughter, Lucy, and had settled in a thriving coast city, where he could live comfortably on the modest fortune he had accumulated.

A good man was the captain, rough in his ways, but tender hearted, irascible, but forgiving, and deeply devoted to his "little girl," as he continued to call Lucy even after she took to long gowns and began to receive calls from eligible young men.

It was rather slow in dawning upon the captain's mind that Lucy might some day like to marry. He never took her "company" seriously, for most of the young men who called and whom he admitted, for he habitually answered the doorbell, were of a type with which, to put it mildly, he was not familiar. That Lucy should cherish a genuine interest in a young man who knew nothing of the sea never occurred to him until a son of one of his former shipmates proposed for Lucy's hand. Then there was a rude awakening.

The sailor, Jack Darrow, was himself a sailor, and the old captain had found great comfort in his calls. In fact, the ancient mariner had entertained the notion that Jack called to see him, and it was quite a shock when Jack, finding the captain alone one evening, made his purpose clear.

"Have ye signalled her, Jack?" he asked.

"Haven't hoisted a rag," replied the young sailor sheepishly. "If it's all right, cap, you speak to her. She'll do anything you say."

"Dunno, dunno," returned the captain dubiously, "but I'll leave the lead, Jack, and let you know if the channel's clear."

That satisfied Jack, and, true to his word, the captain "heaved the lead" that very night.

"Lucy," he said, "Jack Darrow wants to splice with ye."

"Can't be done, papa," she answered at once. "Jack's a good fellow, but I don't love him."

The captain knew not whether to rejoice or regret. He was sorry for Jack, but glad for himself.

"All's well," he said after a moment. "I'm not asking ye to love him. Lucy, you shan't marry anybody ye don't love."

"I know you'd say so, papa, just as I know you won't object to my marrying the man I do love."

"Eht Steady theret! Do ye mean ye've got somebody in mind?"

Lucy blushed and looked at the floor. "Who is he?" asked the captain anxiously.

"It's Henry Whitman, papa. He asked me this evening."

"What! That dude?"

"Papa!"

Lucy's eyes blazed as she addressed her father in sharper tones than she had ever used. She looked at him steadily for a moment and then went to her room.

The captain drew a long breath, sank into a chair and fumbled for his pipe. Under its soothing influence he became comforted. Whitman dressed stylishly, but that might not be against him. He could afford his apparent extravagance, for he was a clerk in a bank. Everybody spoke well of him too. Poor Jack Darrow!

After a time the captain knocked the ashes from his pipe and, going to Lucy's room, spoke to her through the closed door.

"It's all right, little girl," he said in a shaking voice. "If ye want young Whitman, ye shall have him, and God bless ye both."

cerned as though on the parade ground. Looking along our line he saw my chevrons and said, 'Sergeant, you take ten men and remove that entanglement!' Here was my chance. I sprang to my feet and, selecting the designated number (I say 'selecting,' because every man wanted to go) we started on the double quick, keeping our bodies bent as low as possible. We were provided with wire cutters, and I set the men at work as soon as we reached the entanglement. Seeing another one about 300 yards farther on I crawled toward it. The fire was getting fiercer and fiercer. I looked back just in time to see one of my ten throw up his hands and fall. I waited a moment to see what the rest would do, but they worked on, paying not the slightest attention to their fallen comrade, and I turned to my self imposed duty. It was no light one either, for the enemy had stretched and woven wire into that tangled mass. They had plenty of time, and their work was well done.

"All of their wires but one were within my reach as I knelt there, and I spent about 20 minutes cutting them. I never cut it. In fact, I had just placed my pliers on it when I felt a blow on my hip and a sharp pain under my left arm, and down I went. Just how long I was unconscious I don't know. When I came to, Colonel Patterson was standing beside me. He asked what was the matter. I started to tell him that I was wounded in the hip, but the blood choked my speech. I was breathing with difficulty and then understood the meaning of the sharp pain under my arm. As you know, the ball entered my left side, passing through both lungs.

"The colonel turned to two men and said, 'Here, take this man to the rear,' then stumbled and fell. Getting up again, with the exclamation, 'Confound it, I've got it myself,' he limped off.

"One of the men wrapped the first aid bandage around my hips and then began the march to the rear. Stretchers were made, and I was carried by the knees and under the arms to the field hospital. I shall never forget the sights I saw—men lying in all positions as they had fallen. Poor Kelly lay with his head in a ditch, his eyes staring up into the cloudless sky. Staggering boys in blue passed with bandages around their heads or their arms in slings. I felt a sudden tightening of the heartstrings as I bitterly thought: 'So this is war and the path to glory! For this the girls kissed us goodbye with tears of pride in their eyes!'

"I felt no special pain. The only trouble was my throat would fill with blood. 'For 12 hours I lay in the grass before a surgeon attended me. They were very busy, stripped to the waist or with their sleeves rolled up and smeared with blood. I seemed to be paralyzed; perfectly conscious, able to hear and see, though I could not speak.

"All around me lay the wounded, some of whom availed the end with calm, firm faces. Their worst pain was over, and in a short time inevitable death would place them beyond all pain.

"One I remember distinctly. He was only a lad of not more than 17, with curly brown hair and big, blue eyes. I imagined that he had been very cheerful and full of life, but now the pallor of approaching death overspread his features, which wore the strained appearance you so often see on the face of a wounded soldier who suffers and will not cry out.

"A hospital steward came by and stopped to give him a drink. He asked if there was any hope. The doctor shook his head, and passing his hand gently over the boy's brow, asked if there was anything he wanted, and the poor fellow whispered, 'Write.'

"As near as I can remember he said: 'Darling Mother—I have done my best and have laid down my life for the old flag. I had hoped to come back to you with the straps you were so sure I would win, but it can't be. Some had to go, and it has fallen to my lot. Don't grieve over me, mother, dear. Tell father how I loved him. Kiss Rose and little Tom for me. Oh, mother, mother, I love you so! That was all, captain. His pain was over, and another mother's heart was doomed to breaking.

"A short time after this came unconsciousness. I awoke under the surgeon's probe. Then followed the weeks of burning fever when it seemed to me that the Spaniards were crushing my bones.

"I saw them murdering women and children. Sister was among the victims, and I could see her with outstretched arms begging me to come to her, yet I could not. Then the devil stood around and taunted me, twisting my bonds tighter and keeping fire on my head.

"When I awoke, mother was sitting by the bed. Sister Jennie was there too. Was I dreaming?

"I tried to take mother's hand, but was so weak—could barely move. She saw the movement, and in a moment was on her knees, her arms around my neck and crying and talking as only a mother can. No, I was not dreaming. It was mother, and think where I was! Too tired to cry, I said, 'No, mamma! But here she comes! No, mamma! I don't feel the least bit chilly. The captain and I have been passing away here for an hour. But I was wondering where you were.'—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Hebrews and P's.

Concerning the alleged fondness of the Jews for fish, The American Hebrew says: "In the middle ages the Jews, for the most part, denied their religion to those about them and practiced it in secret. Openly they lived a Christian life apparently—they had to, if they would exist—and as those about them abstained from meat on Friday they performed did likewise and partook largely of sea food, which the Jewish housewife learned to prepare to perfection. The use of fish on Friday became a custom with them, and, like other ingrained customs, was kept up when the moving cause had long passed away."

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## MISCELLANEOUS.

When a young Laplander is in love with a girl he and she run a race. He is heavily handicapped, so that she may win if she chooses, and if she outrun him he cannot propose again. Of course, she suffers herself to be overcome if she cares for him, but the consent of her parents must be obtained before she can be married. The law of the land is very strict on this point, and in olden times the man was subject to capital punishment if he married without the consent of the girl's parents.

After a Laplander has chosen a bride he sends her a present of a girdle, a ring, and a quantity of brandy. He goes as far as the door of her hut, but remains outside until invited to enter, when a bumper of brandy is offered to the girl's father. If he drinks it it is a sign he consents to the marriage, and the young lover then promises to give the girl some clothes, and pays a sum of money, generally a hundred copper dollars, down on the spot. This, of course, is a remnant of marriage by purchase, which in primitive times succeeded marriage by capture.

Banns are published once in Lapland, and the marriage ceremony is very short. The bride wears her hair loose, and has a gold band around her head. Her presents and her dowry are generally reindeer, and she and her bridegroom remain with her parents for a year after marriage.

Japanese Gardens.

The growth of Christianity among the Japanese is not without opposition. The Yordza Chobo, Tokyo, says: "In the long history of Christianity we know of not a single case of a country saved by it. With Mohammedanism and the incas' Peruvian empire the course of Christianity was disastrous, destruction, annihilation. It has killed Burma and Annam. It has killed the world after keeping it alive some 40 years. It has killed Madagascar, and it will yet kill Abyssinia, Egypt and Morocco. What security have we that Christianity will not kill China, Korea and even Japan, if the opportunity offers? Christianity does its destructive work not only by gun and bayonet, but by means much more formidable. It kills non-Christian countries by its rum and whiskies and by its foul diseases."

It Had to Come.

Mrs. Cakelroad was entertaining some ladies at a select little 5 o'clock tea, and Bobby, who had been exceptionally well behaved, was in high feather.

"Ma," he said as cake was being handed round, "may I have some tongue, please?"

"There isn't any tongue, Bobby."

"That's funny," commented Bobby. "I heard pa say there would be lots of it."—Strand Magazine.

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